

Customer No. 23990

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Live application of : Jack C. Wybenga, et al
Serial No. : 10/658,977
Filed : September 10, 2003
For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING HIGH-SPEED LOOKUPS IN A ROUTING TABLE
Group No. : 2189
Examiner : Horace L. Flournoy

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Commissioner for Patents
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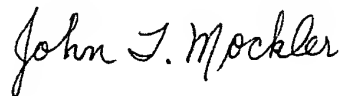
NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated September 17, 2007, of the Primary Examiner of the Advisory Action dated January 23, 2008, finally rejecting Claims 1-22.

A check in the amount of \$630.00 is enclosed in payment of the Notice of Appeal filing fee (\$510.00) and Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time filing fee (\$120.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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